IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	Adrian C. Ravenscroft
Application No.:	08/873484
Filed:	June 12, 1997
For:	Stent Delivery System
Examiner:	Glenn K. Dawson
Group Art Unit:	3731

Mail Stop Appeal Brief-Patents Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Docket No.: S63.2f-6925-US02

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

- In regard to the above-identified application, in addition to this 1 page transmittal letter, we are submitting the attached:
 1 page Petition for an Extension of Time and 31 page Appeal Brief
- With respect to fees:
 - No additional fee is required.
 - Attached is check(s) in the amount of \$
 - Charge any fees to our Deposit Account No. 22-0350.
- 3. CONDITIONAL PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
 - This conditional petition is being filed along with the papers identified in Item 1 above and provides for the possibility that Applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time for for a petition and fee for any other matter petitionable to the Commissioner as required. If any extension of time for the accompanying response is required or if a petition for any other matter is required, by petitioner, Applicant requests that this be considered a nettion therefore.
 - 4. Notwithstanding paragraph 2 above, if any additional fees associated with this communication are required and have not otherwise been paid, including any fee associated with the Conditional Petition for Extension of Time; or any request in the accompanying papers for action which requires a fee as a petition to the Commissioner, please charge the additional fees to Deposit Account No. 22-0350. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment associated with this communication to the Deposit Account No. 22-0350.
- Certification: I hereby certify that this Transmittal Letter and the paper(s) as described herein are being transmitted electronically to the USPTO on September 10, 2008.

Respectfully submitted,

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